DRIVING ON THE SHORE AND SAILING AMONG THE ISLANDS.

SOCIAL DIVERSIONS OF THE WEEK-NEW NAMES

ON THE HOTEL REGISTERS. Lake George, N. Y., Aug. 19 (Special).-During ast week Lake George has displayed herself in day putting on a storm capricious humors, one resembled miniature mountains of and next day showing only smiles and sunlit ripples. It used to be said that Lake George ossessed an island for every day in the year, at, like many other fancies, this one has also are found to be but 225 islands studding the water local historian does not enlighten us. Four nd sparkling as to be easily mistaken for genuine digging for them, proving pretty souvenirs, if ted with rattlesnakes, but, the story tells us, a herd of swine that were being conveyed acros lake by some Indians were shipwr refuge there while the Indians of the dreaded reptiles, but discovered that their beasts had fattened amazingly. Dome Island, twelve miles down, is conspicuous by reason of its the cupola of some dark, underground cathedral, one can easily imagine that there are perform the mysterious rites of worship of the deities who

Sailing on, one discovers that the islands become cottages, or more often tents of camping individuals, but the large majority aimed to preserve uninjured the natural beauty of the trees which abound there. Under certain conditions, one may camp for an indefinite time on the State islands, but houses cannot be built thereon except by the payment of a moderate

In enumerating the varieties of camps that are to be found along the shore, one which is well worth a special notice was omitted. On the east shore, within a stone's throw of the Crosbyside, a desirable piece of ground has been selected and temporary building erected, which was dedicated weeks ago to the purpose of a Spiritualis camp ground. The stock owners are enthusiastic over the project, saying that it will be most ad-Vantageous to the lake, and expect to dispose at an early day of all the building lots. On Sunday will be held the first service of the season, when a prominent test medium will be present.

Driving fills a large part in the days of the cottage population. At noontime the quiet village of Caldwell sometimes presents a lively appearance from the presence of the many handsome turnouts that crowd about the modest postoffice or around most delightful drives is that to Glens Falls, te miles away. The road-an excellent one, too-leads favorite driveway is the Bolton road, run ndsomest cottages that adorn the sho Warrensburg, eighteen miles distant, is a popular the week was the children's carnival, which took on Friday evening. Children of all ages and sizes filled the large drawing-room and performed amazing feats of terpsichorean art. Several graceful fancy dances were also executed before an admiring crowd of mammas and other less interested

the week between the Crosbyside an Fort Will Henry men, both of which have been won by the latter. The "rubber" will be played during the coming week, and much interest is manifested in

On Tuesday evening at the Lake House a large audience enjoyed an elocution recital by Miss Frankle C. Gale, of New-York. A bean-bag party

FREE FLOWERS ON THE EAST SIDE.

Another noteworthy scheme has been introduced by East Side. When the day and the hour came to give out flowers a crowd of happy faced little children are Calling for the doors to open, and they seem to value their gifts highly. It is this society which gave this summer a free loan exhibition at which so many ousand poor people saw good pictures. The ex-bilion was such a delight to the people that it was clared to be the greatest success of all similar free ert exhibitions given before. It was attended by at least 20,000 more people than the first annual exhibition of this society which was held in Allen near Grand-st. That the society's plan of distributing flowers is also a success will be seen by any person the will take a stroll down to the Neigaborhood Guild. No. 26 Delancey-st., on Mondays or on Wednesdays between the hours of Section 12 to 12 to 12 to 12 to 12 to 13 to days between the hours of 5 and 6 o'clock in the evening, when the flowers are distributed. He will see a mass of children, chiefly girls, although there

PLEASURE-AT LAKE GEORGE. soon gives out, but these are on hand earlier the

BROOKLYN NAVAL HOSPITAL WORK. THE DEPARTMENT OF INSTRUCTION NOT ABOL-

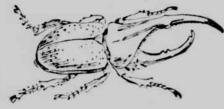
ISHED-DR. BLOODGOOD TO RETIRE. Reports have been published in the last few days that the U. S. Naval Laboratory and Department of Instruction at the Naval Hospital, Brooklyn, had discontinued. Medical Director Delavan Bloodgood, who was detailed as chairman of the manage-ment of the Department of Instruction, in addition

sary to familiarize them with the duties of medical

A HERCULES BEETLE HERE.

THE BIG INSECT THRIVING IN THE NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM.

The Hercules beetle (Dynastes Hercules). the largest species of the Coleoptera or beetle family. seen in the cases of the entemologist, but it is seldom that one is seen alive in New-York. entomology at the Natural History Museum, has one



NATIONAL GUARD AFFAIRS.

CAPTAIN COBIN, OF THE TIST REGIMENT, FINEL

subscription in America in favor of the Duke De-

tainly we cannot refuse our approval to such a generous scheme, though it is somewhat mortifyting to the traditional and legendary Castilian pride. The press in the United States has considered itself obliged to defend the good name of the changed, and, when he has got the change, histilians that I have ever had any practical experience of it. It is the trick of a man who wants to get a half changed, and, when he has got the change, histilians that I have ever had any practical experience of it. Duke de Veragua against the imputation that the loss of his fortune had been caused by illicit specunations... The truth is that the wealth of the Verafamous houses of our nobility, had been somewhat reduced for several years. The financial situation of the present Duke was far from being flourishing.

the building and exploitation of a place for bull-fights in Paris. . . . Stil, we desire that, thanks to the friends in the land discovered by the first Co-lumbus, an end should be put to the bitter embar-rassments which now afflict the descendants of the great navigator."

NEW LIGHT ON A FAMOUS FIGHT,

THE PAPERS OF CHIEF ENGINEER STIMERS RE-GARDING THE MEETING OF THE MONI-

TOR AND THE MERRIMAC. More than thirty years have passed since the

He received a copy of the contract and specifications,

oold be finished within 100 days from its date

tion also made charges against Major Chaumoey. He deelered that his superior officer had used in garden and content and officer and a gentleman on the night of the deeler and a gentleman on the night of the deeler. This complaint was disapproved by Colenel Scott, and went to further than regimental headquarders.

Work on the 71st Regiment Armory is progressing fairly well, and the officers hope to get in the new home this fail. Under Colonel Greene the regiment has lamproved in a way which seems to tedicate that this organization will soon take its place in the front ranks of the National Guard of this State.

A MADRID NEWSPAPER ON THE VERAUGUA FUND

"La Epoca," one of the most influential newspapers of Madrid, says of the project of starting a subscription in America in favor of the Duke De

HE THIED THE "FLIMFLAM GAME."

You know the flinflam game !"

"Well, I have had some practical experience of it." "You don't mean to say that you have been a

days between the hours of 5 and 6 clock in the evening, when the flowers are distributed. He will not a mass of children, chiefly girls, although there are a number of boys, waiting impatiently for their turns to go in and get flowers, and coming away with happy faces. The children can be seen swarming in a line reaching from the Neighborhood Guild almost to the next corner of the street. There are any children who do not get flowers, as the supply

"I took it in my hand and took a look at it. Then I put my hand in my pocket, drew out a 5-cent I put my maind in my pocket, drew out a steam plece and handed it over to the boy. I noticed that he looked at me rather queerly and did not appear to be altogether clear in bis mind regarding the transaction. But he said noting, At that momant the cares were swung open, and I boarded the train. We were hearily at the next station before it occurred to the tima I should have given him IO cents instead of 5, but of the moment It seemed as If I had done the state thing. Of course if he had told me. I

ARMY NOTES OF INTEREST.

n around the first, second and third classes will

"Merrimae was in sight, has interested the Judge Advocate General as well as would increase the State's deposit by that amount, the regiment and accepting legally exist, he had not an officer. The decision

of the sort of the secret of good health. Stumbel on the accident, What is it? Oh just a little matter of lunch that's all. You may laugh but it is all the same. You see, it was this way. A few months are I decided that the calcorate himself of the same and the same than the control of the same than the c

seemed scarcely more than a boy, came out and said | DANFORTH'S HEAD WANTED.

FLOWER INCREASING.

THE STATE TREASURER GUILTY OF VIOLATION

(FROM THE REGULAR CORRESPONDENT OF THE TRIBUNE. Albany, Aug. 19.-State Treasurer Danforth has abandoned his rural retreat at Schroon Lake and emerged once more into the active world to encounter the storm of criticism upon his conduct in outting the big sum of \$55,000 into the Madison Square Bank-a sum far greater than he had placed any other bank in New-York City-and then asking and obtaining a loan of \$50,000 for his personal account. Mr. Danforth is reported to be surveying keenly the financial ocean. What bark of his laden with stocks bought for \$50,000 is afloat upon that agitated sea? And are not the men who aided him to repay the Madison Square Bank its

There is an increased demand that Govern Flower should suspend Mr. Danforth from his office as State Treasurer. No one can doubt that Mr. of it is unmistakable in the sited more State money in this bank than in than any other bank in the metropolis possessed, when the financial stringency was the greatest, inof mathematics at the Military Academy, which | Madison Square by promising its officers that he

Governor Flower clearly has the power under the Constitution to suspend Mr. Danforth because of Later this scandalous misuse of his office. Article V, Section 7, says:

the Governor during the recess of the Legislature. and until thirty days after the commencement of the next session of the Legislature, whenever it shall appear to him that such Treasurer any particular violated his duty. The Governor shall appoint a competent person to discharge the duties of the office during such suspension of the

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DEMAND FOR HIS REMOVAL BY GOVERNOR

ment of the Madison Square was only \$90,000, possibly Mr. Preston did not think the bank was endangered, and therefore merely directed the trustees to make the impairment good.

"Is it the custom of the Bank Department to warn the Controller and the State Treasurer if bank containing State funds is in danger."

"I knew it to be done upon one occasion," was it done upon this occasion?"

"I do not know,"

"When the Madison Square course.

"Was it done upon this occasion?"
"I do not know."
"When did Mr. Preston leave Albany and go to
New-York?"
"Upon the list of August."
It was after the list of August that State Technology.

New-York?"

"Toon the 1st of August."

It was after the 1st of August that State Treasurer Danforth put \$50,000 into the Madison Square Bank. But, according to Bank Examiner Judson, upon July 24 he sent word to Superintendent Preston at Albany that the capital of the bank was impaired. Why did not Superintendent Preston at that time inform Controller Campbell and State Treasurer Danforth of the bank's condition?

Deputy Controller Huson said yesterday that the Controller's office was not warned of the condition of the bank until Tuesday of last week. Then it was that he and State Treasurer Danforth sisned the check withdrawing the \$55,000 from the Madison Square Bank. It looks as if Superintendent Preston had nexlected to inform the other State Deput \$50,000 more of the State's money in a dangerous place.

SIX SHIPLOADS OF PASSENGERS.

THEY SAIL FOR VARIOUS EUROPEAN PORTS-NAMES OF SOME OF THEM.

Upon summer seas six ocean liners are on their way from New-York to Havre, to Liverpool, to Roterdam, to Glasgow and Genos. They departed from this port yesterday, carrying with them many prom-nent passengers. Among those who were on the French liner La Normandie bound for Havre were Mrs. R. D. Andrews and children, General E. del Canto, Colonel Romanoff, a relative of the Crar of ount de Turrene, French Corsul General to Canada; Mr. and Mrs. Camille Lefebvre, Mrs. E. B. Foote, Count T. de Leusse and Professor L. U. Terquem. in the cabins of the big Cunarder Auranta bound for Liverpool were C. F. Bliss, Henry B. Bergman, W. B. Harrison, British Vice-Consul at Havans; J. P. Iddings, Rymer Jones, the Rev. and Mrs. H. B. W. Whitemore and Robert Smeator

The North German Lloyd steamer Fulls sailed

Louis Apol, the Dutch painter of winter landscapes; James de Fremery, Dutch Consul at San Francisco; Lieutenant von Schlecterdal, of the German Army, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wildeboer were passengers on the Netherlands-American steamship Maasdam bound for Rotterdam.

William Hoey, well-known on account of his exploits at Monte Carlo, and William Hoey, fr., the son of "The Man Who Broke the Bank at Monte Carlo," were passengers on the Anchor Line steamer Furnessia

bound for Glasgow.
On the Guien Line steamer Arizona, bound for Liverpool, were Bolossy Kiralfy, the showman; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lightow Dr. Lucien Howe and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Buckland.

MISS AMY BUSBY SEEKS DIVORCE.

SHE WANTS TO BE SEPARATED FROM AUBRET EQUCICAULT-ANOTHER ACTRESS THE CO-RESPONDENT. Aubrev Boucleault, who was thought until re-

ently to give more or less promise, most people of perpetuating his father's varied talents, now finds himself in a matrimonial tangle. He is cault, better known as Miss im for absolute divorce under the laws of New-York, and names as co-respondent Miss Victory Bateman. Mr. Loucicault, in the course of his engagement two years ago with Staart Robson's company, met Miss Busby, She is the talented and beautiful daughter of a leading member of engagement with Mr. Robson was her first appear ance in the theatrical world. Even then she atracted notice for her beauty and graceful manner. surprised when their engagement and then

Boucleault's first introduction of his wife to his friends in New-York was in the course of the "The English Rose" at Proctor's Twenty-Street Theatre, where he was playing Harry Mailly, the young squire. The young coupl in handsome style in a suite of apartments at No.